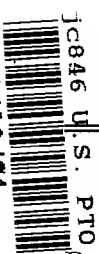


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Inventor(s) : Jacques Prodel  
Title : INSTALLATION POUR LA CIRCULATION DE PALETTES  
PORTE-PIECES ET SON PROCEDE DE MONTAGE  
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Date: November 28, 2001

1. ☒ FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).

2. IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION

\_\_\_\_\_ This application is a \_\_\_\_\_ of patent application No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Prior application information: Examiner ; Group Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4),  
to provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.

3. APPLICATION COMPRISED OF

Specification

17 Specification, claims and Abstract (total pages)

Drawings

2 Sheets of formal drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 4)

Declaration and Power of Attorney

\_\_\_\_\_ Newly executed

☒ Unexecuted declaration

\_\_\_\_\_ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)

4. \_\_\_\_\_ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

5. \_\_\_\_\_ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

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6. APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27

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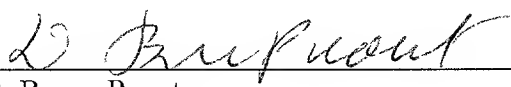
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☐ An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed  
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 - 3	0	x \$42.00	x \$84.00	\$0.00
MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE			\$140.00	\$280.00	\$280.00
BASIC FEE			\$370.00	\$740.00	\$740.00
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